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believe the state law would justiideration of the opposition.

arena had been begun, and everything was considered settled, announced that he regarded the contest as a prize fight and not a boxing contest, and that he, in accordance with the laws of California. nia would not permit it to be There was a talk of a conheld. test in the courts, bat it was seen that this would be too long drawn that this would be too long drawn out to admit of a decision in time to stage the fight, and the governor making it decidedly plain that he meant what he said, and would go to all lengths to stop the affair, the promoters gave up, and picked the state of Nevada as their one sure stronghold.

Goldfield at first made a strong bid for the match, but accessibility

bid for the match, but accessibility was a point to be strongly considered, and Rickard and his asir ciates finally came to believe the Large number of job and ad series, ranging from 6 point to 72

gan. The Reno arena is located a mile and a half from the center of the city, and stands where stood the arena' in which the Root-Hart fight took place just four years ago. The plan is almost identical with that presses, with gasoline engine and of the arena in San Francisco all pulleys, shafting and fixtures which had to be abandoned when the state intervened and caused the shift to Nevada. It is about Also large paper entier and oth- 300 feet square, and seats 20,000 traicles necessary in a well approximately, and its cost was expected to exceed \$17,500.

A forest of lumber has gone into the construction of the great ocsigned that everyone of the spectators is insured a full view of the ring in which the battle will be fought. Looking down from the bleachers, it seems absurd to think that enough action could be com-Tonopah, Nevada, pressed into that 24 foot space to keep such a horde of people

terested, even for a minute.

Measured within the ropes with
their padded corners, the ring is
just 24 feet square. From edge to STOCK BROKER

edge in each direction the raised platform is 27 feet, allowing 18 inches beyond the ropes all around. This space is left for the convenience of the seconds, who must spring into the ring between rounds to fan and wash and encourage their warring chieftains.

Below the edge of the platform runs a narrow bench upon which NEVADA are located the telegraph instruments which will click the story of the battle around the world Here also are the telephones with metallic head dresses attached. through which the thousands on the outside will hear of the progress of the fight via the bulletin

100 newspaper men.

From this level around the ring ers, the sections deviate outward and Through the bleacher section upward like spokes of a wagon wire fences have been run, marking wheel. wedge-shaped sections, and each First behind the chairs come row ing forward until it was too late even to protest.

The pressure upon the governor than the seats is five inches nigher of seats held at \$20, \$25 and \$30 each. Then come the \$15 seats the pressure upon the governor ground level. The seats do not Behind these highest contains the seats are respectively. had not been remitted for a mo- run one behind the other, but al- broad walk surrounds the arena. It ment. He declared that he did not leads, so that the man behind leads to the exits, and these are so looks down on the ring between placed that the flow of the crowd fy intervention, however, and with the heads of the two directly in fy intervention, however, and with the heads of the two directly in this statement from a man known front of him. By this arrangement no central point of egress at which to be opposed to prize fighting, the the ring will be flanked by sloppromoters were content. They did ing wall of faces and staring eyes. not fear that the authorities would circling the fighters on all sides step in, and carried their preparations forward without further consideration of the opposition.

to a height of thirty feet. There will be no space lines between them, just a solid wall of faces

Great was the consternation, glaring down at the white square. therefore, who Governor Gillett, therefore, who does not be seen to be seen and every- upon which approximately 5,00 upon whic

Back of this bench are ordinary. The five thousand will several others, providing for in all be on a lower level than the ring and will look upward at the fight-

There are eight of these off the zones of financial standing.

crowding thousands may aim, enhancing the common danger to all crowds of panic and stampede.

Beneath the bleachers are the quarters of the fighters, the dressing rooms in which they will don. or rather expose, their fighting

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